

AMENDMENT TO ITEM 2 BY SUPERVISOR DON KNABE

June 4, 2013

The Homeless Prevention Initiative has proven to be a powerful tool in the ongoing fight to prevent and end homelessness. By funding a wide range of innovative programs and capitol projects, this Board has made it clear that our commitment has been unwavering. While I am pleased that we have current funding available to direct more resources towards permanent supportive housing and the winter shelter program, I am hesitant to support the addition of more funding into the HPI at this time. Given the fact that we have over \$7 million available currently to reprogram, I believe we should consider the question during our budget discussions in September, and only after the current funds have been expended.

I THEREFORE MOVE that the motion be amended to replace directive (e) which states: "Identify an additional \$5 – \$10 million for annual Homeless Prevention Initiative ongoing funds," and replace it with: "Report back during final budget changes in September with specific recommendations that would justify additional resources added to the Homeless Prevention Initiative only after the reprogrammed funds have been expended."

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